

This petition deserves the full support of the FCC. I am completely dependent upon closed captions in order to understand what is being displayed. I have been watching CC programs since the day they became available.

I must say that the technology has not made great strides. It appears that CC in real time remains haphazard and often difficult to decipher even for this native English user.

Further, the percentage of CC programs does not seem to be increasing on many stations. I have dropped extended basic cable coverage since most of the stations do not CC their programs to a great extent.

I subscribe to HBO which has, I believe, the best CC coverage but even it does not 100% CC although I am forced to pay 100% of their charges.

It is time for the FCC to step in and enforce the regulations that were established.